

generating an electronic lottery number; and
storing the generated lottery number together with the settlement identifier.

PRIOR REMARKS

The Notification of Defective Response mailed April 25, 2005 indicates that an additional claim fee of \$330.00 is required. Applicant notes that the enclosed copy of a preliminary amendment which changes the number of claims, was submitted to the Commissioner for Patents on April 26, 2005, along with a check in the amount of \$50.00. Accordingly, applicant submits that no further fee is due.

CURRENT REMARKS

This submission is believed to be a complete response to the Notice dated July 7, 2005.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required for this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.18, including but not limited to the issue fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0920. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 23-0920. A duplicate copy of this sheet(s) is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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